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WEMBLY EXHIBITION

WEMBLY is a world magnet these days, and is fulfilling all hopes of its designers and producers. Many correspondents write with enthusiasm, of the marvels on display at the great British Empire Exhibition, of the completeness of the exhibits, the beauty of the scenic effects, and the rare stimulation of mind and heart evoked by the contemplation of the vastness of Britannia's wealth and her unerring efficiency in the wake of a war that threatened her annihilation. The Empire Exhibition is just what its name implies; a glimpse to inform and astonish the natives, and prove to them they are making progress not only in the "tight little Isle," but in the Dominions beyond the seas.

The people of Redcliff appreciate very much the suggestion made in the Medicine Hat News to the effect that the Rotary club of that city make a donation to the swimming pool fund here. As the News says, Redcliff has always liberally patronized everything put on by the Rotary club for the purpose of raising funds and we can assure them that a donation, no matter what size would be very welcome and greatly appreciated at the present time.

The sentence of life imprisonment handed out to John F. Gallagher, who was standing trial on a charge of arson, does not show so much the seriousness of the charge of which he was found guilty as of the seriousness of having a bad record and reputation.

At a Liberal convention held in Stony Plains last Saturday a resolution was passed asking Premier Greenfield and his government to resign at once. Talk about your foolish resolutions but this one has them all backed off the map.

A weekly exchange remarks that too many fellows in the town in which it printed "like to stand around and grunt while the other man lifts." There are several towns with fellows just like that.

The Calgary Albertan, which has always been Liberal, says the Stony Plains Liberals had better get some kind of a policy for their own party before they start asking any other party to resign.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

THAT people will get out of a town just about what they put into it. They can't get something for nothing anywhere.

THAT people who are always looking for trouble usually find it.

THAT the road to progress and prosperity lies before every town that does not spend too much time trying to find crooks and turns in it.

THAT the town that spends too much time thinking of its past glories, usually wakes up too late.

THAT a town that takes care of its setbacks as soon as they appear usually has an assured future.

THAT the town whose citizens have confidence in its present and future is a going town—come fast towards its goal—THE PERFECT TOWN.

When a group of Alberta members and other "extremists" fought for Government inspection of banks last year they were opposed by both of the old parties, and voted down. This year the Minister of Finance, somewhat late in the day, has introduced a resolution in principle the same as the rejected resolution of 1923.

The Presbyterian General Assembly side-tracked the question of women entering the ministry. The English church in Alberta took a similar step a few months ago. It now appears that the church is the only organization in which women have not equal rights with men, and yet we are sometimes told that the church and religion are responsible for the emancipation of women all down through the ages. A woman can be a minister of the crown, the premier of Canada, a foreign missionary, the president of a university, the mother of a family, but she can't be a minister of the gospel.

The committee appointed to take evidence in connection with charges against Hon. Murdock, has found that Mr. Murdock did nothing wrong in withdrawing his money from the Home Bank on the eve of the failure of that bank. Nobody expected that the committee would bring in any other verdict as all such committees have a majority of the party in power. Whether Mr. Murdock did anything wrong or not, he simply did what ninety-nine out of every hundred men in Canada or any other country would have done under the circumstances.

Liberal newspapers have been

complaining about the delay in the Grouard by-election. Now they are complaining that it is brought on too short notice. Its hard to please some people.

Ontario is pressing for the right to appoint its own judges and Quebec would do away with juries.

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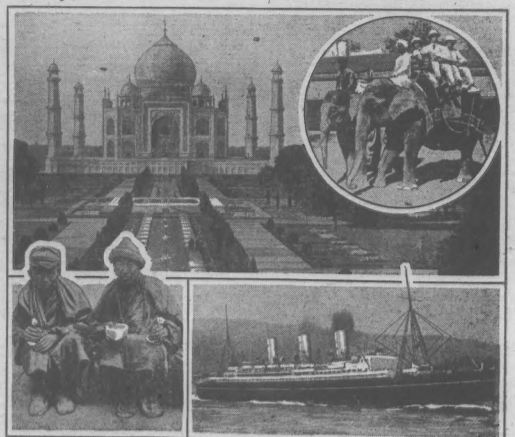
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Canadian Flag on Globe Encircling Tour



Upper left: Taj Mahal, Agra, India, one of the most beautiful sights on the "Empress" cruise. Right: The Canadian Pacific's S.S. "Empress of India" leaving for the West Indies.

It would be hard to find a happier, healthier and more satisfied lot of people than the passengers aboard the palatial Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Canada" when she docked in Vancouver harbour on May 26th at the close of her epoch-making cruise around the world.

Since leaving New York on January 30th, the fortunate folk had sailed for four months in the wake of Drake, Magellan and Marco Polo, seeing all and more than all that those adventurers saw, with none of their discomforts. They had viewed the towering, gun-flecked rock of Gibraltar, the bellowed ports of Greece and Rome, on the blue Mediterranean, had ridden camels in the shadow of the Sphinx, threaded the Suez Canal, crossed the sparkling Indian Ocean, walked the teeming streets of Indian cities, the gardens of the glorious Taj Mahal and the ramparts of the grim fort of Agra. Ceylon, the ravishingly beautiful, palm-covered Malacca, the Flower Kingdom of Japan, the immensities of the Pacific—all these had passed before their eyes in a gorgeous pageant of eighteen countries and fifty cities. They saw idols, monkeys, palanquins, palaces, mosques, temples, galleys, man-of-war, feluccas, sheiks, troubadours, fakirs, pyramids.

They had adventures with elephants in Kenya and a volcano in the Hawaiian Islands. They brought back with them a host of souvenirs and impressions to be treasured all their lives and they say in the world at large "Go there and do likewise."

Every port called at was thrown open to the cruise ship, and the reception afforded them at Victoria, B. C., on their return was no less cordial. Thousands lined the wharf on the arrival of the cruise ship, and Union Jacks mingled with Old Glory in the enthusiastic waving of flags which Victoria extended to the returning travellers.

National airs and marches played by the Naval Band were echoed on shipboard in the strains of the Pacific coast.

Interviewed in Vancouver as to the success of the cruise, President E. W. Beatty said, "I spoke to several passengers while crossing from Victoria and they all expressed their complete satisfaction with the ship, its officers, and the superb arrangements made and carried out since the day she left Vancouver almost five months ago. That is good enough for me. It is ample demonstration that the Canadian Pacific can successfully conduct a cruise in competition with any organization in the world and maintain that Company's standing as the credit to Canada."

The "Empress of France" will carry the Canadian flag on a similar globe-encircling tour from New York on January 14th.

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